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AMENDMENT; REQUEST FOR  
RECONSIDERATION

For: E-Mail System with Methodology for  
Accelerating Mass Mailings

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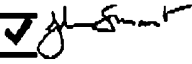
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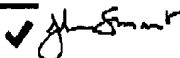
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*There are no amendments to the specification.*

**Amendments to the drawings,**

*There are no amendments to the Drawings.*